COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FOR PUBLIC FACILITIES (CDBG-PF) AND PLANNING (CDBG-PLNG)

2023 APPLICATION TRAINING

WEBINAR JANUARY 25, 2023



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AGENDA*

9:00am – 9:05am Welcome & Introductions 9:05am – 10:15am CDBG Program Overview

2023 Public Facilities & Planning Project Eligibility,

Requirements and Application Documents

10:15am – 10:20am Break

10:20am – 11:30am 2023 Public Facilities & Planning Application Documents

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Q & A

*Times are approximate

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INTRODUCTION: TRAINING GOALS

- Inform potential applicants about the programs
- Explain the 2023 application submission and review processes
- Explain the 2023 application requirements and contents of the application packets
- Answer questions

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CDBG PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION

- The Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) program is a federal formulabased grant program
- Title 1 of the Housing and Community Development Act (1974), as amended
- Code of Federal Regulations (24 CFR 570)
- Administered by the Wisconsin Department of Administration (DOA) Division of Energy, Housing and Community Resources' (DEHCR) Bureau of Community Development
- Program purpose = the development of viable communities through the provision of decent housing, a suitable living environment, and the expansion of economic opportunities, principally for the benefit of low-income and moderate-income (LMI) persons.

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CDBG PROGRAMS

- Public Facilities (PF)
- Planning (PLNG)
- Corona Virus (CV)
- Disaster Recovery (DR)
- Economic Development (ED)
- Public Facilities for Economic Development (PFED)
- Emergency Assistance Program (EAP)
- Housing (HSG)

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Applicants <u>must</u> be non-entitlement Units of General Local Government (UGLGs)
- Projects <u>must</u> meet a CDBG National Objective and be an eligible activity
- Must be in compliance with other CDBG Awards
- CDBG-PLNG Program ONLY: <u>Not</u> eligible if awarded CDBG-PLNG grant within last 18-month period prior to application

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ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA (CONTINUED)

- CDBG-PF PROGRAM ONLY: **NEW!**
 - No CDBG-PF Award in 2021 or 2022 Cycles* Two (2) or more CDBG-PF competitive application cycles must have passed since the UGLG's most recent CDBG-PF award (i.e., UGLG is eligible every *third* year) *and*
 - No Open CDBG-PF Projects* All previous CDBG-PF awards/projects must be completed/closed.

(i.e., Project Completion Certification and letter have been issued by DEHCR; or the UGLG received confirmation from DEHCR that all obligations required have been met in closing out a project that was cancelled or required pay-back as a result of not meeting grant requirements)

*Exception: Award that was for project meeting Urgent Local Need (ULN) National Objective

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA (CONTINUED)

CDBG-PF PROGRAM ONLY: NEW!

Example 1:

UGLG was awarded a 2020 CDBG-PF grant. Eligible to apply in 2023 *if* the 2020 CDBG-PF project is completed, with DEHCR Completion Certification and letter issued prior to application.

Example 2:

UGLG was awarded a 2021 CDBG-PF grant. *Not* eligible to apply in 2023. Eligible to apply *in 2024 if* the 2021 CDBG-PF project is completed, with DEHCR Completion Certification and letter issued prior to your next application submission.

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ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA (CONTINUED)

- CDBG-PF PROGRAM ONLY: NEW!
 - 100% of Match funding <u>must</u> be committed and secured at the time of application (signed resolution/certification and documentation required).
 - Match is not a scored category.
- CDBG-PF and CDBG-PLNG:
 - Project costs <u>must</u> be eligible for CDBG funding and applicants <u>must</u> meet the minimum match requirements:

Program:	Max. CDBG Award:	Minimum Match Required:
Public Facilities (CDBG-PF)	\$ 1,000,000	\$1 Match for each \$2 CDBG
Planning (CDBG-PLNG)	\$ 50,000	\$1 Match for each \$2 CDBG

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APPLICANT CRITERIA (CONTINUED)

CDBG-PF and CDBG-PLNG (continued)

- Citizen Participation: <u>Must</u> have Citizen Participation Plan (CPP) and <u>must</u> hold pre-application
 Public Hearing in accordance with CPP
- Authorizing Resolution to Submit Application by Municipality and Certifications from Chief Elected Official (CEO) (electronic signature permitted)
- Complete Application Refer to Application for Attachments Checklist of Items Required or Recommended to Include with Application Form
- Must be able to accept award and proceed with negotiating the Grant Agreement within 45 days of award notification
 - The UGLG may consider passing a resolution during the application preparation process to grant approval/acceptance rights to CEO on behalf of the UGLG in the event that the application is awarded CDBG funds

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CDBG PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (IF AWARDED FUNDS)

Upon Award:

- Award Acceptance
- Pre-Agreement Documents
- Execution of Grant Agreement
- CDBG Implementation Training in September 2023
- Compliance with Grant Agreement & current CDBG Implementation Handbook (posted on website)
 - Policies/Regulations
 - Reporting & Recordkeeping Requirements
 - Project Milestones/Deadlines and Processes

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Non-compliance may result in cancellation of grant and/or payback of CDBG funds

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CDBG PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Procurement:

(CDBG Implementation Handbook, Chapter 3; 24 CFR Part 85.35-.36)

https://doa.wi.gov/Pages/LocalGovtsGrants/CDBGImplementationHandbook.aspx

- Have option to contract for professional services (e.g., Grant Application, Grant Administration, A/E, Planning, etc.)
- Match-Funded Costs:
 - For Construction Activities Refer to CDBG Implementation Handbook (Ch. 3 and Ch. 7)
 - For Non-Construction Activities Follow UGLG's local procurement/ purchasing/contracting policies
- CDBG-Funded Costs: Follow Federal/State CDBG and UGLG's Local Policies

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Procurement (continued):

(CDBG Implementation Handbook, Chapter 3; 24 CFR Part 85.35-.36)

- Exception to requirement for competitive procurement when using CDBG funds: Contracting with UGLGs; Regional Planning Commissions (RPCs); most publicly funded non-profit Economic Development Organizations (EDOs) (contingent upon compliance with Local policy)
- Fees for preparation of grant application:
 - May be published on DEHCR website
 - Cannot be included in the CDBG Project Budget (not as CDBG or Match)
 - No "Loss-Leader" arrangements (entity cannot offer free or discounted rate for Application preparation <u>in exchange for</u> entity being awarded contract upon the UGLG receiving CDBG award)
- Minority Business Enterprise/Women Business Enterprise (MBE/WBE) Outreach
- Section 3 Firm/Business Outreach and Employee Hours/Section 3 Data Collection

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CDBG PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Financial Management:

- Financial management system with appropriate controls
- Separate, non-interest-bearing account (or separate account register) for CDBG funds

Environmental Requirements:

Environmental regulations compliance/certification prior to the start of construction

Acquisition and Relocation:

 Uniform Acquisition Relocation Assistance and Real Property Acquisition Policies Act of 1970 ("<u>URA</u>" for short) applies to any acquisition (*including easements*) and relocation necessary or that occurs in order for the project to be completed

Davis-Bacon and Related Acts (DBRA) and other Federal Labor Standards Regulations: 16

DBRA Wage Rates and Federal Labor Standards required, if applicable to Project

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Project Site Change in Use & Income Restrictions for 5 years after project closeout

- No "change in use" of project site property that has been acquired or improved with CDBG funding assistance, unless UGLG meets certain requirements <u>AND</u> the change is pre-approved by DEHCR; otherwise CDBG funds must be returned to the State/HUD
- Restrictions regarding "income" generated from CDBG-funded project site acquisition or improvements – may (or may not) be required to return funds to the State/HUD.
 Contact DEHCR for a determination.

Refer to 24 CFR 570.489(e) and (j) and 24 CFR 570.505

Contact DEHCR with any questions pertaining to these restrictions.

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CDBG PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Grant Funding Disbursements:

• Allowable costs incurred <u>prior to Award</u>:

Architectural/Engineering (A/E) Costs – As Match Only Includes all eligible A/E costs for the project (no time limit; must have sufficient documentation of costs and payments); includes plans/specs preparation but excludes any other funding application activities)

Allowable costs incurred on or after Award Date:

Grant Administration; Planning – Environmental Review compliance required; and

Other Costs approved by DOA-DEHCR

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Grant Funding Disbursements:

Allowable costs incurred <u>after the Execution of Grant Agreement and Environmental Compliance/Certification</u>:

Acquisition/Relocation – See CDBG Implementation Handbook, Ch. 5 for additional requirements

Construction – Includes New Construction, Rehab/Repair, Demolition/Clearance, etc.

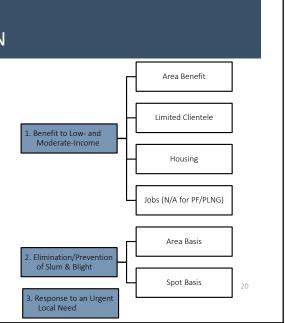
 CDBG disbursements paid for eligible costs as invoices are received or as a reimbursement for invoices already paid by Grantee

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NATIONAL OBJECTIVE QUALIFICATION

- Must be an Eligible CDBG Activity
- Must meet 1 of 3 CDBG National Objectives:
 - 1. LOW- AND MODERATE-INCOME (LMI) BENEFIT
 - 2. SLUM & BLIGHT (SB)
 - 3. URGENT LOCAL NEED (ULN) [PF Only]
- LMI Projects given priority

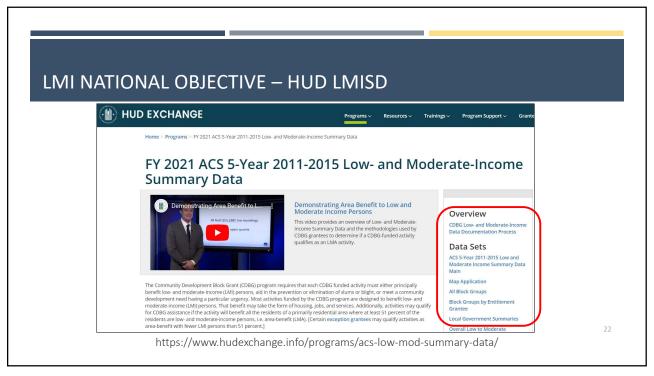


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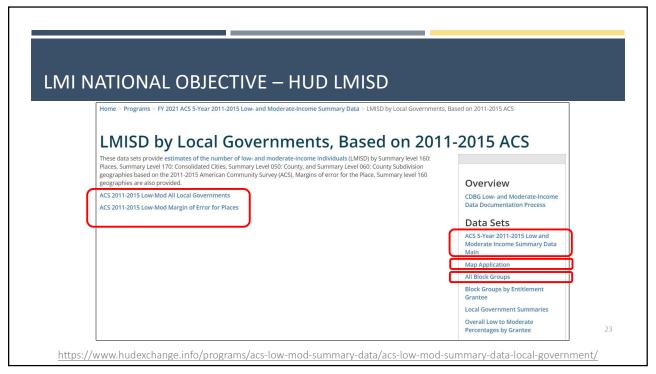
LMI NATIONAL OBJECTIVE - USING HUD LMISD

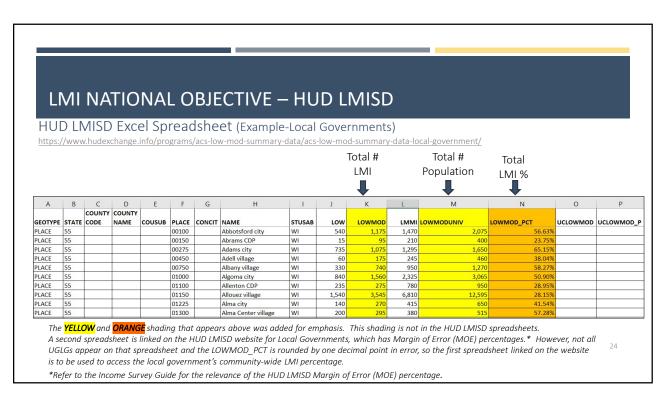
- 51% of beneficiaries are LMI, based on HUD LMI Summary Data (LMISD) for local governments
- ALL beneficiaries reside within a census tract that is at least 51% LMI <u>and</u> the majority of residents in that census tract are beneficiaries of the project
- ALL beneficiaries reside within a group of (2 or more) census tracts that, together in aggregate, are at least 51% LMI based on HUD LMISD for census tracts <u>and</u> the majority of residents in each census tract in the grouping are beneficiaries of the project

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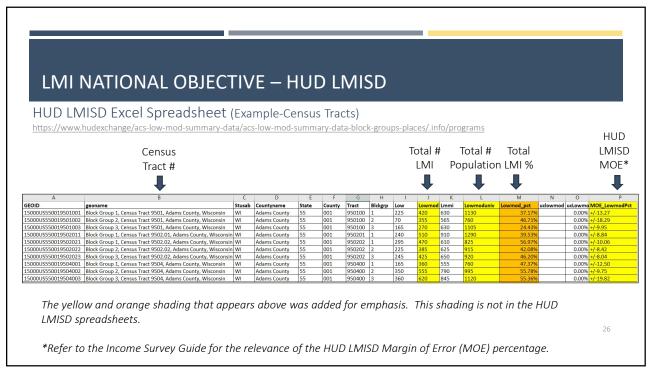
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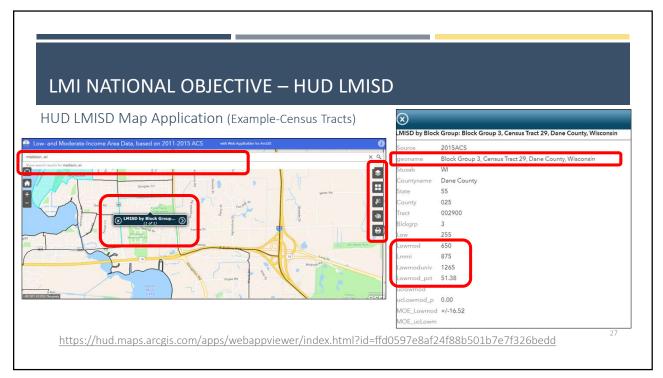


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LMI NATIONAL OBJECTIVE - USING INCOME SURVEY

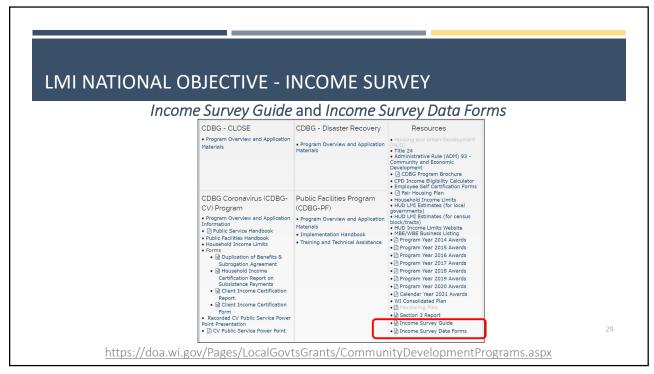
- 51% of beneficiaries are LMI based on income survey data (certified by DEHCR)
- 51% of beneficiaries are LMI based on the project exclusively serving one or more Limited Clientele groups

Access *Income Survey Guide* and *Income Survey Data Forms* on Bureau of Community Development website (under "Resources" section):

https://doa.wi.gov/Pages/LocalGovtsGrants/CommunityDevelopmentPrograms.aspx

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LMI NATIONAL OBJECTIVE - INCOME SURVEY

Refer to Income Survey Guide

Application Submission:

- For PF Competitive Applications only:
 - Submit Income Survey Packet documents no later than <u>February 15, 2023</u>
 - Submit Income Survey Certification with CDBG-PF Application
- For PLNG and other non-competitive CDBG Programs:
 - Submit Income Survey Packet documents <u>OR</u> Income Survey Certification with CDBG Application (seeking certification prior to application is strongly recommended)

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LMI NATIONAL OBJECTIVE - HUD LMISD AND/OR INCOME SURVEY

Multiple Jurisdictions

- May need to combine HUD LMISD for each jurisdiction to calculate LMI percentage; OR
- May need to combine HUD LMISD with income survey data to calculate the LMI percentage
- Use Form 8 in Income Survey Guide showing LMI Percentage Calculation
- Strongly Recommended: Contact DEHCR for guidance and verification that the methodology is correct prior to submitting with an application

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LMI NATIONAL OBJECTIVE - LIMITED CLIENTELE

Limited Clientele (LMC) – Persons in a group *presumed* to be at least 51.0% LMI:

- Abused children
- Elderly persons (age 62 and older)
- Battered spouses
- Homeless persons
- Severely disabled adults
- Illiterate adults
- Persons living with AIDS
- Migrant farm workers
- LMI families (income certification required)

Project/activity must <u>exclusively</u> serve persons in one or more of the groups above to meet the LMC criteria and presume the group is at least 51.0% LMI.

LMI NATIONAL OBJECTIVE - LIMITED CLIENTELE

Low- and Moderate-Income Clientele (LMC)

- For *existing* facility/program:
 - Letter and information from facility/program Must include:
 - Nature of facility and services provided
 - # of persons and Type(s) of clientele served
 - Verification of exclusively serving LMC
 - Income Limits used if qualification is income-based
 - To be submitted upon award: Demographics data (# families, family size, race/ethnicity)

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SLUM AND BLIGHT NATIONAL OBJECTIVE

- Area Basis:
 - Must be at least 25% of properties in the project area
 - May include acquisition/relocation necessary to complete project, clearance/demolition, environmental remediation, historic preservation, building rehab, and/or façade/structural improvements
- Spot Basis:
 - May be one or more properties
 - Limited to acquisition/relocation necessary to complete project, clearance/demolition, environmental remediation, historic preservation, and/or building rehab limited to eliminating conditions detrimental to public health and safety (such as correcting code violations)

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SLUM AND BLIGHT NATIONAL OBJECTIVE

- Slum & Blight Certification & Compliance Form
- Slum & Blight resolution by UGLG [required for Area Basis Only exception may be considered (contact DEHCR)]
- Record/evidence of blighted conditions
 - Must be at least 25% of properties in area for Area Basis
- Demonstration of project activities being eligible
- Record of how project activities will address blight

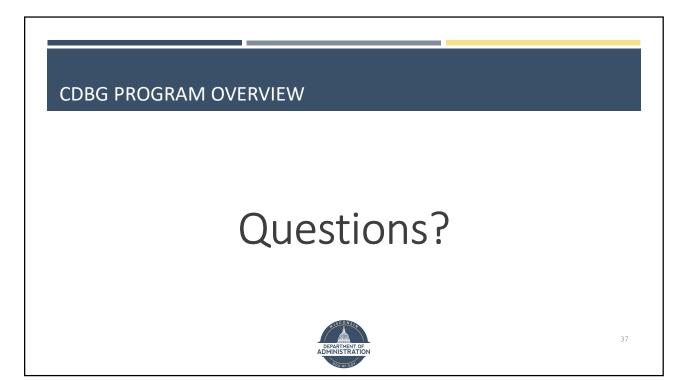
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URGENT LOCAL NEED NATIONAL OBJECTIVE

Urgent Local Need (ULN)

- Only allowed for addressing condition(s) posing serious and immediate threat to health and welfare
- Conditions must have been developed or become urgent within 18 months prior to application
- Must demonstrate no other means to fund project (including demonstrating attempts to apply for other funds, and have no remaining G.O. Debt or not a sufficient amount remaining to cover the cost of the project may only apply for amount that is shown to be shortfall)





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CDBG-PF PROJECTS: ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

Sanitary Sewers
Wells & Water Towers
Water System Improvements

Waste Water Treatment Facilities/Plants (WWTF/P)

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CDBG-PF PROJECTS: ELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES (CONTINUED)



Main Street Improvements



Libraries



Senior Centers



Fire Stations



Accessibility Improvements

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CDBG-PF PROJECTS: INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

Ineligible CDBG-PF Projects & Costs:

- Construction/renovation of building used for general local government business (other than ADA Architectural Barrier Removal projects)
- General government expenses
- Furnishings**
- Operating and maintenance expenses
- Architectural/Engineering (A/E) costs**
- ** See next slide regarding these costs as "Match."

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CDBG-PF PROJECTS: INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

- **Ineligible CDBG Cost but May Be Counted toward UGLG's *Match*:
 - A/E costs incurred for the project any time prior to the CDBG Application submission through the end of the Performance Period; and
 - Furnishings costs after the CDBG Grant Agreement has been executed through the end of the Performance Period

Counting as Match is contingent upon acceptable documentation of procurement compliance, eligible activities, and records of costs incurred and payments.

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CDBG-PLNG PROJECTS: ELIGIBLE & INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES

Eligible CDBG-PLNG Projects & Costs:

- Comprehensive plans
- Individual project plans
- Community development plans
- Capital improvement plans
- Small area & neighborhood plans
- Local analysis of impediments to fair
- Downtown revitalization plans
- Functional plans
- Environmental & historic preservation studies

Ineligible CDBG-PLNG Projects & Costs:

- Engineering, architectural, and design costs related to a specific activity
- Direct development of a CDBG Application
- Other costs of implementing plans
- Operating costs for an organization
- Construction or any other nonprofessional services
- Any otherwise eligible planning project costs incurred prior to the DEHCR grant award date

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CDBG-PLNG PROJECTS: CRITERIA (COMMUNITY-WIDE PLANS)

- Community-Wide Plans:
 - Emphasize collaboration among community stakeholders;
 - Address economic conditions;
 - Identify strategies to increase access to affordable housing;
 - Improve community vitality by addressing slum/blight conditions; or
 - Address other issues that will improve the well-being of LMI persons

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CDBG-PLNG PROJECTS: CRITERIA (SITE-SPECIFIC PLANS)

- Site-Specific Plans:
 - Plans and strategic development activities
 - May be for specific neighborhood or district within a community or to plan for the use or reuse of a specific site
 - Examples: adaptive reuse of former hospital, school building or other vacant structure, or potential use of a parcel of land



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MAX. CDBG AWARD, MIN. REQUIRED MATCH, AND ALLOWABLE ADMIN. Public Facilities (CDBG-PF) Planning (CDBG-PLNG) Maximum CDBG Award Up to \$50,000 up to \$1,000,000 Amount Required Minimum Grantee 2:1 Ratio 2:1 Ratio (Maximum \$2 CDBG for every \$1 Match) (Maximum \$2 CDBG for every \$1 Match) Match CDBG = \$6,000 Amount of CDBG Funds Generally Not Applicable (included in allowed for Grant 1.5% of CDBG-PF Award, whichever is greater Planning Costs) Administration (up to/not to exceed \$15,000)

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG: APPLICATION PROCESS OVERVIEW Public Facilities (CDBG-PF) Planning (CDBG-PLNG) **Grant Type** Competitive Non-Competitive Available HUD Funding Approx. \$10 million \$250,000 Eligible Applications awarded Applications are scored, ranked, and awarded based on available funding. based on available funding. Awards Must be accepted within forty-five (45) days. Must be accepted within forty-five (45) days of award. Additional grants may be awarded based on rankings if additional funds become available. Appeal of a denial decision must be made by the UGLG within thirty (30) days of the date of the decision letter. Denials NOTE: Must document that DEHCR made a scoring mistake. Disagreeing with a score assigned is <u>not</u> acceptable grounds for an appeal.

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TIMELINE: 2022 CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG GRANT CYCLE(S)

	TARGET/DUE DATE(S):	
APPLICATION PROCESS:	Public Facilities (CDBG-PF) Competitive Cycle	Planning (CDBG-PLNG) Continuous Cycle
Applications Available	January 23, 2023	January 23, 2023
Application Training	January 25, 2023	January 25, 2023
Applications Due to DOA	May 18, 2023 @ 4pm (CST)	Open
Award Letters	No later than July 21, 2023	Within 30 Days of Application Submission
Acceptance of Award	Within 45 Days of Award	Within 45 Days of Award
Implementation Training	September 2023	September 2023
Pre-Contract Process; Contracts Drafted, Negotiated, & Executed	July 21 – December 31, 2023	Within 90 Days of Award

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ADDITIONAL APPLICANT EXPECTATIONS

2023 CDBG-PF Awards Project Timeline Requirements				
Pre-Construction Activities:	Begin Immediately upon Acceptance of Award			
Construction Start:	Start by July 1, 2024			
Construction Completion:	Complete by October 31, 2025			
Project Completion Documents & Final Payment Request:	Received by DEHCR no later than December 31, 2025			
Planning (CDBG-PLNG) Project Timeline Requirements				
Planning Activities:	Begin within 6 months of Award			
Plan Completion:	Plan completed within 22 months of Award			
Project Completion Documents & Final Payment Request:	Received by DEHCR within 24 months of Award			

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2023 CDBG-PF APPLICATION CHANGES SUMMARY

- 1. Eligible to receive CDBG-PF award every third application cycle/year
- 2. 100% of Match funding *must* be secured at the time of application
- 3. Match is *not* scored.
- 4. Architectural/Engineering (A/E) costs any time prior to application are eligible as Match (not limited to only 12 months prior)
- 5. "Project Readiness" Score replaces "Match" Score, with points awarded for:
 - Biddable A/E Design Plans & Technical Specs completed: (30 Points)
 - Environmental Review (ER) completed: (10 Points)



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2023 CDBG-PF APPLICATION SCORING CHANGES

2023 CDBG-PF APPLICATION SCORING SUMMARY:

Project Need: Awarded up to 100 points (no change)

Community Distress: Awarded up to 70 points (no change)

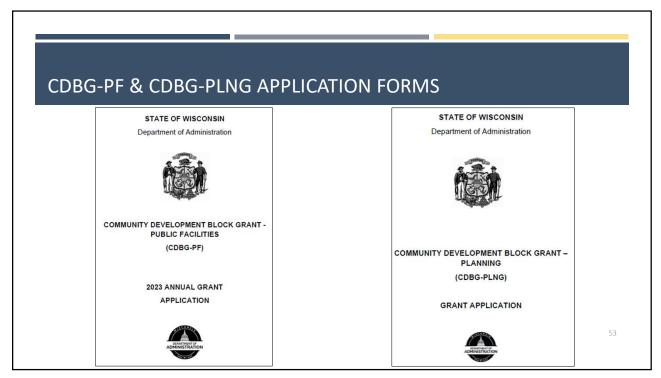
■ **Financial Need:** Awarded up to 30 points (*no change*)

Planning: Awarded up to 10 points (no change)

Project Readiness: Awarded up to 40 points (NEW!)

- Architectural/Engineering Design Plans & Technical Specifications: Awarded 30 points *if* certified as ready to be included in a bidding packet(s) at the time of application submission
- Environmental Review: Awarded 10 points if <u>certified by DEHCR prior to application</u> or if <u>submitted</u> <u>prior to the application deadline and confirmed as certifiable</u> by DEHCR upon review (no errors and/or omissions pertaining to determinations, classifications, procedures, or processes)

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: PART 1

Part 1 - Grant Request

- Project Funding
- Project Title
- Brief Description
- Agreeing to Terms: Project Timeline

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: PART 2

Part 2 - Applicant Information & Signature

- UGLG Contact Information
- UEI # (if registered on SAM.gov); FEIN; DUNS; 9-Digit Zip Code
- Signature of Chief Elected Official (CEO) (electronic signature required do not submit hardcopy; original is to be maintained in UGLG's files)
- Application Contact (UGLG Contact or 3rd Party Contact Information)
- Current CDBG Assistance (Any open CDBG awards)
- CDBG-PLNG Only: New!
 - Pre-Application Conference Information (Required)
 - Procuring/Securing Professional Services Question

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: PART 3

Part 3 – Certifications

- Signature of Chief Elected Official (CEO) (electronic signature)
 - Acknowledging information is true and correct for the UGLG for:
 - Initial Eligibility Certification
 - Statement of Assurances Certification
 - Lobbying Certification
 - Acquisition, Relocation & Demolition Certification
 - Fair Housing Actions Certification
- Must agree to terms in Certifications and all information must be true and correct for UGLG to be eligible for CDBG funding

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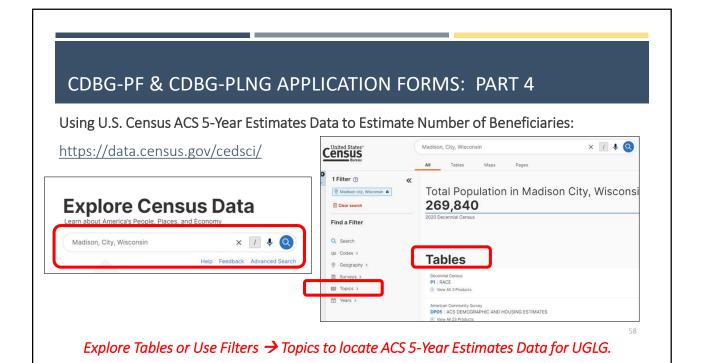
CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: PART 4

Part 4 - CDBG National Objective and Project Beneficiaries

- Community-wide benefit: check Yes or No
- # of Project Beneficiaries (and # LMI persons if applicable): Use numbers from source(s) used to qualify project if applicable, or existing program data if applicable, or most recent U.S. Census ACS 5-Year Estimates data

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: PART 4

Part 4 - CDBG National Objective and Project Beneficiaries

- National Objective Compliance
 - Benefit to Low- and Moderate-Income Persons
 - Area Benefit HUD Local Government LMI Summary Data (LMISD)
 - Area Benefit HUD Census Block Group/Tract LMISD
 - Area Benefit Income Survey; or Income Certifications (PF only Very Rare)
 - Area Benefit Combining HUD LMISD and Income Survey Data
 - Limited Clientele

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: PART 4 (CONTINUED)

Part 4 - CDBG National Objective and Project Beneficiaries

- Prevention/Elimination of Slum and Blight
 - Area Basis
 - Spot Basis
- lacktriangle Urgent Local Need \leftarrow <u>NOT</u> Applicable to CDBG-PLNG Projects

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: PARTS 5-10

DIFFERENCES: PF vs. PLNG APPLICATION

Parts 5-7: Differences in PF vs. PLNG Application Parts 8-10: Only in CDBG-PF Application

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION IS SCORED (CDBG-PLNG IS NOT) SCORING CATEGORIES

CDBG-<u>PF</u> *Scored* Categories (250 points maximum):

Part 5 – Project Need
 100 points

Part 6 – Budget and Matching Funds (Not Scored)

Part 7 – Planning
 10 points

Part 8 – Community Distress
 70 points

Part 9 – Financial Need
 30 points

Part 10 – Project Readiness (New!)40 points

➤ Biddable A/E Design Plans & Technical Specifications (30 points)

Completed Environmental Review (10 points)

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CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION REVIEW CATEGORIES

CDBG-<u>PLNG</u> *Review* Categories (review for eligibility – *not* scored)

- Part 5 Project Need
- Part 6 Budget and Matching Funds
- Part 7 Planning

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: PART 5

Part 5 - Project Need

	Public Facilities (CDBG-PF)	Planning (CDBG-PLNG)
Review	Scored (up to 100 points)	Evaluated for Eligibility
Response Format	Up to 2 pages, 11-point font	Approx. 1/2 page, 11-point font
Items to Address	7 Items: Current condition Frequency # of people affected Effects if left untreated How project will resolve problem Scope of work Extent of CDBG funding need	3 Items: Positive impact on community Anticipated future steps to implement Plan upon completion Ability/readiness to implement Plan
Supporting Documentation	Cannot exceed 20 pages	Cannot exceed 10 pages

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: BUDGET & MATCHING FUNDS PART 6

Part 6 – Budget and Matching Funds:

- Report <u>ALL</u> costs (including professional services provided by 3rd parties paid with CDBG or Match) – Omissions in costs reporting may deem the application incomplete
- Project Budget & Matching Funds Form (CDBG-PF only)
- Detailed Itemization of Project Costs (CDBG-PF only)
- Resolution to Commit Match <u>and</u> Certification of Match Secured (New! <u>Required</u> for PF & PLNG Applications)
- Match Funding Waiver Request (if applicable/if economic hardship demonstrated; contacting DEHCR prior to submission recommended)
- Grant Administration/Professional Services Information (additional question)

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: BUDGET & MATCHING FUNDS PART 6

Project Budget & Matching Funds Form:

- Activity
- CDBG Funds
- Matching Funds
 - UGLG funds
 - Other public funds
 - Private funds
 - Include source, amount, status of funds

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: BUDGET & MATCHING FUNDS PART 6

Project Budget & Matching Funds Form - Options to Report:

- Applied
- Pending
- Committed
- Secured/Awarded
- Other

NEW!: For <u>CDBG-PF</u> Application, only documents for Match "<u>Secured and Committed</u>" are to be submitted with Application. <u>DO NOT</u> submit documentation pertaining to funding sources with only an "Applied", "Pending", or "Other" status. [100% of match required to complete project must be secured and committed <u>PRIOR</u> to application.]

Refer to guidance in Application Instructions!

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: BUDGET & MATCHING FUNDS PART 6

Examples of **Acceptable** Documentation of Match "Secured" (*This list is not intended to be all-inclusive. Other documents may fit this category.*)

Acceptable:

■ Bank Statement – must be recent, e.g., March/April 2023

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- Bank letter specifically stating the loan or interim financing funding is approved/secured*
- Grant award letter from another funding agency*
- DNR Funding List page(s) showing UGLG's award information
- Project Priority List (PPL) page(s) <u>AND</u> record of the UGLG submitting the Application to the DNR as follow-up (must include BOTH) Refer to 2023 CDBG-PF Application Instructions (REVISED) v2023-01-26, pages 36-37
- Bond issuance records contact DEHCR to confirm (not all bond documents are sufficient)
 - *If terms/conditions apply (other than standard/basic terms such as financing rate negotiations) for the award to be made, then the UGLG must provide documentation that confirms the terms/conditions have been met.]

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Examples of **Unacceptable** Documentation of Match "Secured" (This list is not intended to be all-inclusive. Other documents may fit this category.)

Unacceptable:

- Balance Sheet
- General Ledger statement
- UGLG Budget documents
- UGLG approval record of committing funds without any documentation proving the funds are secured
- Bank letter with vague language that does not confirm the funding is "secured"
- Fundraising plans and "pledge" forms/letters
- DNR Project Priority List (PPL) without any record of the UGLG submitting the Application to the DNR as follow-up Refer to 2023 CDBG-PF Application Instructions (REVISED)
 v2023-01-26, pages 36-37

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: BUDGET & MATCHING FUNDS PART 6

Report only match funding sources that the UGLG intends to utilize/accept.

If the UGLG reports on the CDBG application secured matching funds that it does not intend to utilize/accept for the CDBG project, and then later receives a CDBG award and reports delays in securing matching funds, which in turn results in delays in the start or end of construction for the project, then DEHCR may rescind the CDBG award.

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- The Matching Funds must be 100% <u>secured</u> for <u>and committed</u> to the project at the time of application for <u>PF</u> or prior to the execution of the Grant Agreement for <u>PLNG</u>
- The UGLG <u>must</u> pass and submit a signed Resolution to Commit Match & Certification of Match Secured — for both PF and PLNG)

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- <u>PF</u> Only UGLG must acknowledge in the Resolution that if the project is delayed due to the UGLG not having the match funds secured as represented in the Application, which results in construction not starting by July 1, 2024 and/or not being completed by October 31, 2025, DEHCR may not approve a project timeline extension and may rescind the CDBG award.
- NOTE: <u>PLNG</u> project delays due to lack of matching funds secured may also result in DEHCR rescinding CDBG award, but the resolution for a <u>PLNG</u> project may have different language since they do not have 'construction' activities

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS PART 7: PLANNING (PF – SCORED; PLNG – NOT SCORED)

Part 7: Planning

- Explain how project is consistent with or a continuation of adopted/approved community long-range plan(s)
- Include supporting documentation [relevant pages of plan(s) only] in Application Attachments
 - Do not attach copy of entire plan
 - Mark relevant text (visibly highlight, underline, star, or bracket)
 - Label with plan's page number, title and date of adoption/approval

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*PART 7: PLANNING SCORING

Criteria for CDBG-PF Planning Scoring (up to 10 points):

- How the project supports and further promotes UGLG's long-range plan(s)
- Level of consistency and specificity of plan(s) with regard to project scope
- Evidence (supporting documentation) verifying plan consistency

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*: PART 8: COMMUNITY DISTRESS

Community Distress (PF only)

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Public Facilities (CDBG-PF)	Planning (CDBG-PLNG)
PF APPLICATION - PART 8: Scored (up to 70 Points total)	Not Applicable
Scoring/Sources:	
1. Median Household Income (up to 40 Points)	
• U.S. Census 2021 American Community Survey ACS 5-Year	
Estimates (2017-2021)	Not Applicable
2. Per Capita Property Value (up to 15 Points)	Not Applicable
 Town, Village and City Taxes Bulletin: Taxes Levied 2021 – 	
Collected 2022, Wisconsin Dept. of Revenue	
3. Local Property Tax Rate [Full Gross only] (up to 15 Points)	
 Town, Village and City Taxes Bulletin: Taxes Levied 2021 – 	
Collected 2022, Wisconsin Dept. of Revenue	
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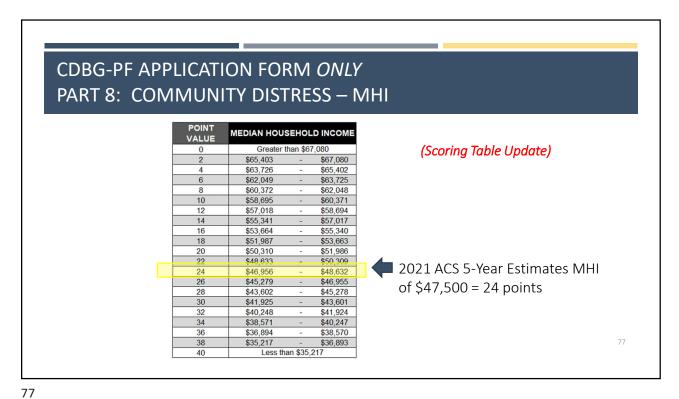
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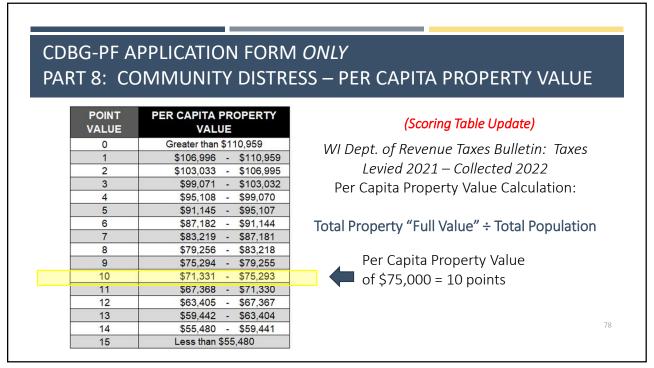
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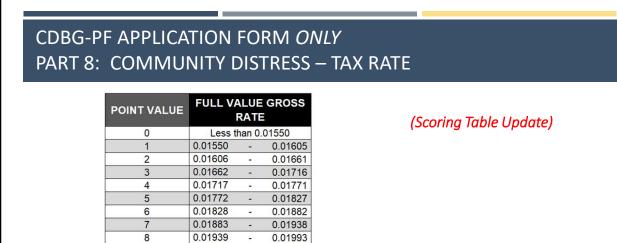
NO COMMUNITY DISTRESS DATA ENTERED BY APPLICANT.

DEHCR will obtain data from referenced sources during application scoring.

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Greater than 0.02325

WI Dept. of Revenue Taxes Bulletin:

Taxes Levied 2021 – Collected 2022

Full Value Gross Tax Rate of .02050 =

10 Points

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY* PART 9: FINANCIAL NEED

Part 9: Financial Need (PF only; up to 30 Points)

UGLG G.O. Debt

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- For Water and Sanitary Sewer projects:
 - Now calculated using average of Water/Sewer Rates Score <u>and G.O.</u>
 Debt Score
 - Residential water charge for 70,000 gallons annual usage
 - Residential sewer charge for 70,000 gallons annual usage
 - <u>Must</u> include Calculation Worksheet Attachment and Proof of current Water/Sewer Rates in Application Attachments

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*PART 9: FINANCIAL NEED — <u>NON</u>-WATER/SEWER PROJECTS (G.O. DEBT)

UGLG G.O. DEBT CAPACITY	UGLG USED G.O. DEBT									
	30 Points	25 Points	20 Points	15 Points	10 Points	5 Points	0 Points			
\$10,000,000 or Greater	70% or Greater	65-69%	60-64%	55-59%	50-54%	45-49%	Less than 45%			
\$7,500,000 - \$9,999,999	65% or Greater	60-64%	55-59%	50-54%	45-49%	40-44%	Less than 40%			
\$5,000,000 - \$7,499,999	60% or Greater	55-59%	50-54%	45-49%	40-44%	35-39%	Less than 35%			
\$3,000,000 - \$4,999,999	55% or Greater	50-54%	45-49%	40-44%	35-39%	30-34%	Less than 30%			
\$1,000,000 - \$2,999,999	50% or Greater	45-49%	40-44%	35-39%	30-34%	25-29%	Less than 25%			
\$500,000 - \$999,999	45% or Greater	40-44%	35-39%	30-34%	25-29%	20-24%	Less than 20%			
\$250,000 - \$499,999	40% or Greater	35-39%	30-34%	25-29%	20-24%	15-19%	Less than 15%			
Less than \$250,000	Maximum Points	Maximum Points	Maximum Points	Maximum Points	Maximum Points	Maximum Points	Maximum Points			

Example: UGLG has \$1 Million Debt Capacity; has used \$450,000 to date = Score of 25

NOTE: The Financial Need score for non-Water/Sewer projects is calculated using only the G.O.

Debt information at the time of application submission, which is based on the UGLG's current Used G.O. Debt compared to the UGLG's G.O. Debt Capacity.

The UGLG cannot include in the calculation for Used G.O Debt any debt incurred or used for the proposed 2023 CDBG project.

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*PART 9: FINANCIAL NEED — WATER/ SEWER PROJECTS

POINT	ANNUAL WATER & SANITARY SEWER RATES									
VALUE	Wa	iter C	nly	Sanitar	Sanitary Sewer Only			Combined		
0	Less	than	\$306	Less	than :	\$526	Less	than	\$826	
2	\$306	[2 8]	\$325	\$526	-	\$559	\$826	-	\$878	
4	\$326	•	\$344	\$560	-	\$592	\$879	-	\$930	
6	\$345	•	\$363	\$593	*	\$625	\$931		\$981	
8	\$364		\$382	\$626	-	\$658	\$982	-	\$1,033	
10	\$383	-	\$401	\$659	-	\$690	\$1,034	8	\$1,085	
12	\$402	(#7)	\$420	\$691	-	\$723	\$1,086	J#	\$1,136	
14	\$421	-	\$439	\$724	-	\$756	\$1,137		\$1,188	
16	\$440	(-)	\$458	\$757	9)	\$789	\$1,189	-	\$1,240	
18	\$459	(#2)	\$477	\$790	-	\$822	\$1,241	·	\$1,291	
20	\$478	120	\$497	\$823	-	\$855	\$1,292	-	\$1,343	
22	\$498	-	\$516	\$856	(4)	\$888	\$1,344	6	\$1,394	
24	\$517	-	\$535	\$889	-	\$921	\$1,395	-	\$1,446	
26	\$536	-	\$554	\$922	-	\$953	\$1,447	-	\$1,498	
28	\$555	•	\$592	\$954	-	\$1,019	\$1,499	-	\$1,601	
30	Great	er than	\$592	Greate	r than	\$1,019	Greate	r than	\$1,601	

(Scoring Table Update)

Example:

Water/Sewer Project; Combined annual water/sewer rate of \$1,400

= Partial Score of 24

(Based on 70,000 gallons usage)

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*PART 9: FINANCIAL NEED — WATER/SEWER PROJECTS

Financial Need score for <u>Water/Sewer projects</u> is calculated using the <u>average of the combined total</u> of the G.O. Debt score and Water/Sewer Rates score.

[New Policy (started in 2022): Financial Need Score Update for Water/Sewer Projects]

Formula: (G.O. Debt Score + Water/Sewer Rates Score) ÷ 2

Example #1: Project with water and sanitary sewer infrastructure improvements for which:

- UGLG has \$3 Million Debt Capacity; and has used \$1,500,000 (50%) to date
 G.O. Debt Score of 25; AND
- Combined annual Water/Sewer Rates of \$1,400 = Water/Sewer Rates Score of 24

Financial Need Score (Water and Sanitary Sewer Project) =

(G.O. Debt Score + Water/Sewer Rates Score) ÷ 2:

 $(25 + 24) \div 2 = 24.5$ rounded up to **25**

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*PART 9: FINANCIAL NEED – WATER/SEWER PROJECTS

Example #2: Project with water infrastructure improvements, for which:

- UGLG has \$2 Million Debt Capacity; and has used \$1,000,000 (50%) to date = G.O. Debt Score of 30; AND
- Annual Water Rates of \$560 = Water Rates Score of 28

Financial Need Score (Water Project) =

(G.O. Debt Score + Water Rates Score) ÷ 2:

 $(30 + 28) \div 2 = 29$

<u>Example #3:</u> Project with sanitary sewer infrastructure improvements for which:

- UGLG has \$500,000 Debt Capacity; and has used \$100,000 (20%) to date
 G.O. Debt Score of 5; AND
- Annual Sanitary Sewer Rates of \$900 = Sewer Rates Score of 24

Financial Need Score (Sanitary Sewer Project) =

(G.O. Debt Score + Sewer Rates Score) ÷ 2:

 $(5 + 24) \div 2 = 14.5$ rounded up to **15**

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*PART 10: PROJECT READINESS – A/E DESIGN PLANS & TECH. SPECS.

Project Readiness (0-40 Points Awarded):

Architectural/Engineering (A/E) Design Plans and Technical Specifications (30 points):

30 points awarded if:

- A/E design plans and technical specs meeting all requirements is submitted in accordance with the 2023 CDBG-PF Application and Application Instructions
- Must be certified by a licensed architect/engineer as complete to the extent of being ready for inclusion in bidding packet(s) for construction contracting procurement process(es) for the proposed project

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*PART 10: PROJECT READINESS – A/E DESIGN PLANS & TECH. SPECS.

A/E Design Plans and Technical Specifications (continued):

- Architect/engineer must use/complete the Architect/Engineer Certification of Biddable Design Plans & Technical Specifications form to certify that the A/E documents are complete to the extent that they are ready for inclusion in the bidding packet(s) for construction contraction procurement process(es) for proposed project
- The A/E design plans and technical specs and architect's/engineer's signed Certification (as the cover page (page 1) of the A/E document) must be submitted as one PDF document, <u>separately</u> from the CDBG-PF Application document using the <u>Microsoft Teams link</u> issued by DEHCR (upon request from the applicant prior to the application due date) no later than the Application deadline (4:00 p.m. on May₈₆ 18, 2023)

CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*PART 10: PROJECT READINESS – A/E DESIGN PLANS & TECH. SPECS.

A/E Design Plans and Technical Specifications (continued):

O points awarded if:

- no A/E design plans and technical specs document is submitted in accordance with the
 2023 CDBG-PF Application and Application Instructions; or
- incomplete A/E design plans and technical specs (not ready to for inclusion in the bidding packet(s) or missing the architect/engineer Certification, etc.) are submitted; or
- the A/E documents are not received by DEHCR by the deadline

No 'partial' points will be awarded for incomplete or insufficient A/E documents. <u>Do not</u> submit partial A/E documents or those that are not ready for inclusion in the bidding packet(s). They will be disregarded and no points will be awarded.

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*PART 10: PROJECT READINESS – ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

Environmental Review (ER) (10 points):

10 points awarded if:

- ER certification letter issued by DEHCR for the project is included within the CDBG-PF Application Attachments; or
- a complete, certifiable* ER for the proposed project is submitted to DOA Environmental Desk at <u>DOAEnvironmentalDesk@wisconsin.gov</u> (separately from the CDBG-PF Application) no later than CDBG-PF Application deadline (4:00 p.m. on May 18, 2023), following the requirements set forth in *Chapter 4: Environmental Review* in the *CDBG Implementation Handbook*:

https://doa.wi.gov/Pages/LocalGovtsGrants/CDBGImplementationHandbook.aspx

*The ER must be deemed complete and acceptable for certification by DEHCR after our review. If it is deemed uncertifiable, no points will be awarded.

CDBG-PF APPLICATION FORM *ONLY*PART 10: PROJECT READINESS – ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

Environmental Review (ER) (continued):

0 points awarded if:

- no ER certification letter is submitted within the CDBG-PF Application Attachments; or
- no completed ER is submitted for the proposed project by the Application deadline; or
- the ER that is submitted is incomplete and/or is otherwise deemed uncertifiable by DEHCR (e.g., errors and/or omissions in determinations, procedures, and/or processes; misclassification of the project; missed steps in the ER process; etc.).

No 'partial' points will be awarded for incomplete or insufficient ER documents. <u>DO NOT</u> submit partial ER documents or those that are not ready for DEHCR's review and certification.

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They will be disregarded and no points will be awarded.

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: ATTACHMENTS & SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION CHECKLIST

- Checklist in the Application must be completed
- Provides guidance on required vs. optional or "if applicable"
 Attachments
- Some documents required for PF are not required for PLNG

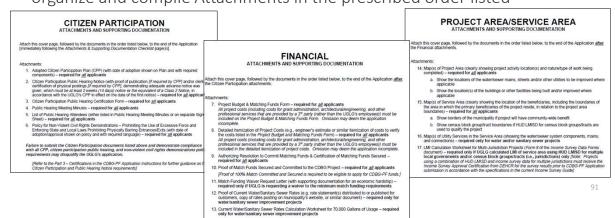
Topic	Documents	Required With All Apps	Included with this application submission?	
			YES	NO
Citizen Participation	Adopted Citizen Participation Plan (CPP) (see Part 3 - Initial Eligibility Certification)	- 2		
	 Citizen Participation Public Hearing Notice (with proof of publication for equired by CPP) and/or posting if required by CPP) and proof of adequate advance notice provided (which must be at least 2 weeks (14 days) notice or the equivalent of a Class 2 Notice) in accordance with the URG-USC CPP in effect on the date of the first notice) 		0	
	Citizen Participation Public Hearing Certification Form	- 6		
	Public Hearing Meeting Minutes	-	П	
	 List of Public Rearing Attendees (either listed in the Public Hearing Meeting Minutes or on separate Sign-in Sheet) 	-		
	 Policy for Non-Violent Civil Rights Demonstrations/Prohibiting the Use of Excessive Force and Enforcing State-Local Laws Prohibiting Physically Barring of Entrances/Exits 	- 2		
Financial	7. Project Budget & Matching Funds Form	- 2		
	Detailed Itemization of Project Costs	-		
	Authorizing Resolution to Commit Matching Funds & Certification of Match Funds Secured	- /		
	10, Proof of Match Funds Secured and Committed to CDBG Project	- /		
	Match Funding Walver Request Letter (with supporting documentation for an economic hardship) (if applicable)			
	12. Proof of Current Water/Sanitary Sewer Rates (Facolicable)			
	 Current Water Sanitary Sewer Rates Calculation Worksheet for 70,000 Gallons of Usage (# applicable) 			
Project Area / Service Area Maps	14. Map(s) of Project Area (nature and location(s) of project activities)	- K		
	15. Map(s) of Service Area (location(s) of primary beneficiaries)	-		
	16. Map(s) of Utility Services in Service Area (if applicable)			
	 LMI Calculation Worksheet for Multiple Jurisdictions (Form 8 of the Income Survey Data Forms document) (f applicable) 			
Income Survey	 Income Survey Approval Certification Letter from DEHCR (if applicable) 			
Limited	19. Letter from Limited Clientele Facility/Program (Fapolicable)			
Clientele	20. Income Limits Used by Limited Clientele Facility/Program (if applicable)			
Fair Housing	21. Fair Housing Ordinance	· V		
Slum & Blight	22. Slum and Blight Certification (If applicable)			
	23. Slum and Blight supporting documentation (if applicable)			
Acquisition/ Relocation	24. Residential Anti-Displacement and Relocation Assistance Plan (RADRAP)	- /		
Project Need	25. Project Need Supporting Documentation			
Planning	26. Planning Supporting Documentation (e.g. relevant sections from adopted comprehensive plan, community redevelopment plan, etc.)			

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION FORMS: ATTACHMENTS & SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION COVER PAGES

 Grantees must use the Cover Pages provided in the Application to organize and compile Attachments in the prescribed order listed



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CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION SUBMISSION

CDBG-PLNG Application

- Must have pre-application meeting with DEHCR prior to application submission
- Applications accepted on an ongoing basis
- Must submit CDBG-PLNG Application via email to DOACDBG@wisconsin.gov
- Submit 1 Application (electronic CEO signature in Part 2 <u>and</u> Part 3 required), following the specifications in the CDBG-PLNG Application Instructions
- ALL pages of the Application must be standard 8.5" x 11" size
- Awards made to eligible projects on a first-come first-served basis until all CDBG-PLNG funding has been expended for the program year

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APPLICATION SUBMISSION

CDBG-PF Application:

- Must email DEHCR at <u>DOACDBG@wisconsin.gov</u> to request a <u>Microsoft Teams link</u> for Application documents submission prior to the CDBG-PF Application due date
- CDBG-PF Application (including the completed CDBG-PF Application Form and all "Application Attachments and Supporting Documents"; excluding A/E plans and specs and Environmental Review) must be submitted as <u>one</u> PDF document using the Microsoft Teams link issued by DEHCR (following the instructions that will be provided by DEHCR with the link)
- <u>ALL</u> pages of the CDBG-PF Application PDF document must be 8 ½" x 11" size
- Application must be received by DEHCR no later than 4:00 p.m. (CST) on Thursday, May 18, 2023. Late submissions will NOT be accepted.

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APPLICATION SUBMISSION

CDBG-PF Application: (continued)

- Electronic CEO signature must be in Part 2 <u>and</u> Part 3 of the CDBG-PF Application form, following the specifications in the CDBG-PF Application and Application Instructions
- A/E biddable design plans and technical specs must be submitted as <u>one</u> PDF document (including the completed Architect/Engineer Certification as the cover page (page 1)) using the Microsoft Teams link issued by DEHCR for the Application documents (and following the instructions that will be provided by DEHCR with the link); and *received by* DEHCR no later than <u>4:00 p.m.</u> (CST) on Thursday, May 18, 2023 for scoring consideration. Late submissions will not be scored.
- A/E document should be on 8 ½" x 11" pages, but exceptions for large pages for documents such as architectural designs may be allowed, contingent upon all A/E documents still being submitted in <u>one</u> PDF document.

APPLICATION SUBMISSION (CONTINUED)

CDBG-PF Application: (continued)

If submitting an Environmental Review (ER), it must be submitted to the DOA Environmental Desk via email to <u>DOAEnvironmentalDesk@wisconsin.gov</u> (following the specifications in Chapter 4 of the CDBG Implementation Handbook); and *received by* the DOA Environmental Desk no later than <u>4:00 p.m.</u> (CST) on Thursday, May 18, 2023 for scoring consideration. *Late submissions will not be scored*.

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APPLICATION SUBMISSION (CONTINUED)

- Non-compliance with Application documentation and submission requirements may result in Application being deemed ineligible
- Incomplete applications may <u>NOT</u> be reviewed
 - Incomplete <u>PF</u> Applications will be denied and disqualified from being considered for an award (due to the PF Program being a *competitive* grant program)
 - Incomplete <u>PLNG</u> Applications will be denied and the UGLG will be required to revise and re-submit all or portions of the CDBG-PLNG Application for further consideration.



Questions?



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COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FOR PUBLIC FACILITIES (CDBG-PF) AND PLANNING (CDBG-PLNG)

APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS

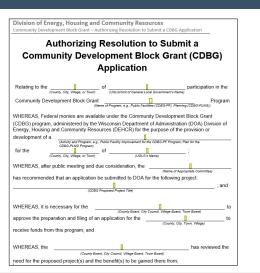


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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS AUTHORIZING RESOLUTION TO SUBMIT CDBG APPLICATION

- Required for <u>ALL</u> PF and PLNG Applicants;
- Must pass resolution prior to submission of CDBG Application

Template for this resolution and other forms/templates/samples are provided among Application
Attachments linked on PF and PLNG
Program websites



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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN - TEMPLATE

- Required for <u>ALL</u> PF and PLNG Applicants.
- Must be adopted/in place and current prior to submission of CDBG Application.

TEMPLATE

Revised Template!

(Print on Municipal Letterhead or Plain Sheets – Remove DEHCR header and footer text; and remove the "Template" language above and below. This template has the required sections and content for a CDBG Citizen Participation Plan. Contact DEHCR for approval if considering omitting any of this content from the UGLG's CPP.)

[Unit of General Local Government (UGLG) Name, e.g. Village of Yourville]

Citizen Participation Plan for the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program

PURPOSE

In order for the CDBG Program to operate effectively, and to address the needs of the citizens of the [UGLG Name], the entire population must be kept informed. The decision-making process must be open and consistent with State and Federal regulations. To accomplish this, the following plan will be followed:

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN – PROGRAM OVERSIGHT

PROGRAM OVERSIGHT

1. The [UGLG Name] shall create a Citizen Participation Committee, members of which shall be appointed by the Chief Elected Official and confirmed by the [UGLG Type] [Governing Body Name]. This Committee shall be responsible for implementation of the Citizen Participation Plan (CPP), as well as offering guidance in preparation of the grant application.

The [UGLG Name] shall oversee the preparation of the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) grant application.

 To insure responsiveness to the needs of its citizens, the [UGLG Name] shall provide for and encourage citizen participation. Particular emphasis shall be given to participation by persons of low- to- moderate income (LMI).

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN — CITIZEN PARTICIPATION / PUBLIC HEARINGS

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION

The [UGLG Name] shall establish a committee composed of persons representative of the [UGLG Name] demographics.
 This committee must include at least one LMI person.

The committee members should also include representatives from the local government, real estate, banking and labor communities whenever possible. This committee shall assume responsibility for coordinating all required elements of the Citizen Participation Plan. All committee members must be residents of the [UGLG Name].

NOTICE OF HEARINGS

- 1. Official notice of hearings will be by public notice in the [Local Newspaper Name] as a [Select Hearing Timing/Type From Drop-Down Options: "2-week (14 days)" OR "class 2" OR "2-week (14 days) or class 2"] notice prior to the hearing date. In addition, the public notice shall be posted at the [UGLG Name] [UGLG Municipal Administrative Building Name]. These notices will include the time, place and date of meetings, as well as a brief agenda.
- All notifications of meetings and available assistance must be worded in such a way as to
 encourage LMI participation. In addition, all meeting announcements shall include where, and
 during what time, information and records relating to the proposed and actual use of funds
 may be found.

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN — PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

- MUST follow local CPP at time of Notice!
- 14 Days OR Class 2 Notice [ss.985.07] (follow local CPP)
- <u>Exclude first day of publication</u> in computation of time; may include date of hearing (ss.985.09)
- Sample CPP: 2-Week Notice (<u>14 full days</u>)
- Failure to give notice in accordance with CDBG and local CPP will result in Application being deemed ineligible



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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN - PUBLIC HEARINGS REQUIRED PUBLIC HEARINGS Public hearings shall be held to obtain citizen views and to enable them to respond to proposals at all stages of the CDBG Program, including the development of needs, the review of proposed activities and the review of program performance. Hearings shall be held after adequate notice, at times and locations convenient to potential or actual beneficiaries and with accommodations for the handicapped, and, if needed, for non-English speaking persons. 1. The first hearing will receive citizens' views and provide an explanation of: a. Community development needs, objectives, and strategies b. The CDBG program including goals, objectives, application process, amount of funds available, timetable, eligible activities, etc 2. The second hearing will receive citizens' views and provide a review of the performance of the funded activities The first public hearing shall be held during the development of the application for funds. The second public hearing shall be held during the implementation of the program. If the (New/Revised) project includes construction, demolition, and/or structural rehabilitation activities, then the second hearing must be held after construction, demolition, and/or rehabilitation has begun and is in progress 104 5. The [UGLG Name] will attempt to have at least one of the public hearings in the service area

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN — PUBLIC HEARINGS

Refer to Public Hearing Notice Templates Provided by DEHCR for required content for Hearing Notices and Agenda.

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

The second public hearing shall be held <u>DURING</u> the implementation of the program (i.e., <u>AFTER</u> construction has begun and while it is in progress (for PF projects), or <u>AFTER</u> the planning process has begun and while it is in progress (for PLNG projects) and <u>BEFORE</u> the end of construction (for PF projects) or <u>BEFORE</u> the Plan is completed and approved by the UGLG (for PLNG projects).

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN – COMPLAINTS & DEHCR CONTACT COMPLAINTS The [UGLG Name] will handle citizen complaints about the program in a timely manner. By federal regulation the [UGLG Type] will respond in writing to all written letters of complaint within 15 days after receipt of the complaint. The nature and disposition of verbal complaints will be reported in a complaint log. The first contact for complaints should be made to [Contact Name and Title]. In addition to the above procedure, any citizen wishing to object may complain directly to the Attention: Executive Staff Assistant Wisconsin Department of Administration Division of Energy, Housing and Community Resources, 9th Floor P.O. Box 7970 Madison, WI 53707-7970 Written complaints should contain the following information and should be as specific as possible when describing: The Program area being referenced: HOME, Community Development Block Grants for Housing (CDBG – Housing), Community Development Block Grants for Community Development (CDBG – Community Development), Community Development Block Grant Close Program (CDBG-CL), Emergency Solutions 2) The event resulting in the complaint: 106 4) The complainant's name, address, and telephone number

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PLAN – ACCOMMODATIONS

ACCOMMODATIONS

The [UGLG Name] will respond to residents' requests for reasonable accommodations to participate in CDBG public hearings in accordance with state and federal laws; and include instructions for making accommodation requests in hearing notices.

NON-ENGLISH SPEAKING PERSONS

The [UGLG Name] will regularly review the demographic data of the municipality and survey a CDBG project area and/or service area if deemed necessary to identify non-English speaking persons; and will take steps to assure them equal opportunity in the citizen participation process.

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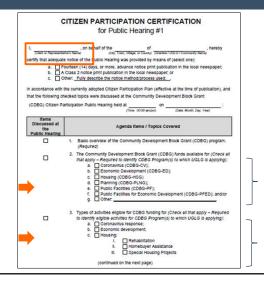
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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS CITIZEN PARTICIPATION PUBLIC HEARING CERTIFICATION FORM

Clerk or designated representative may certify public hearing content.

Must cover:

 CDBG Program(s) to which the UGLG is applying (for which the hearing was held) & related eligible activities



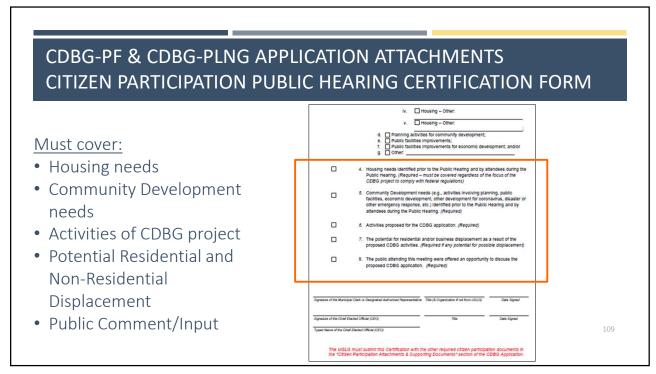
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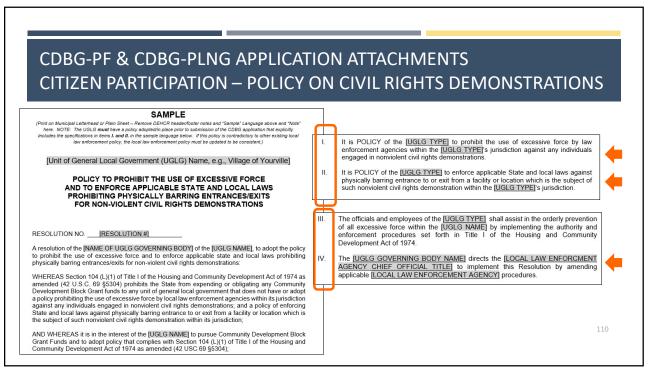
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Template and this
Certification provide
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Content/Agenda

Select/checkmark only those items that <u>currently apply</u> to your proposed Application.

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS FAIR HOUSING ORDINANCE

- Fair Housing Ordinance must reflect current State Statutes citation and language (ss.106.50)
- Obsolete language will result in Application being deemed ineligible

SAMPLE

[UGLG Name, e.g., Village of Yourville] Fair Housing Ordinance

Ordinance #: [Ordinance Section/Number]

Fair and Open Housing

[Ordinance #] State Statutes Adopted

[Ordinance #] Authority and Enforcement Procedures Implemented

[Ordinance #] STATE STATUTES ADOPTED.

The [Name of Governing Body] of the [UGLG Name] hereby adopts Section 106.50, Wisconsin Statutes, as amended, and all subsequent amendments thereto.

[Ordinance #] AUTHORITY AND ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURES IMPLEMENTED.

The officials and employees of the [UGLG Name] shall assist in the orderly prevention and removal of all discrimination in housing within the [UGLG Name] by implementing the authority and enforcement procedures set forth ir Section 106.50, Wisconsin Statutes, as amended.

Section [Section #] COMPLAINTS.

The [UGLG Type] Clerk shall maintain forms for complaints to be filed under Section 106.50, Wisconsin Statutes, as amended, and shall assist any person alleging a violation thereof in the [UGLG Name] to file a complaint thereunder with the Visconsin Department of Workforce Development, Equal Rights Division, for enforcement of Section 106.50, Wisconsin Statutes, as amended.

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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS ACQUISITION/RELOCATION - RADRAP

- Required for ALL PF and PLNG Applicants;
- Use Sample for required language
- Steps/actions to minimize displacement should be customized for your community

SAMPLE

[UNIT OF GENERAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT (UGLG) NAME] WISCONSIN RESIDENTIAL ANTI-DISPLACEMENT AND RELOCATION ASSISTANCE PLAN FOR CDBG PROGRAMS

This Residential Anti-Displacement and Relocation Assistance Plan (RARAP) is The prepared by the [UGLG Name] in accordance with the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, and HUD regulations at 24 CFR 42.325 and is applicable to our CDBG* projects.

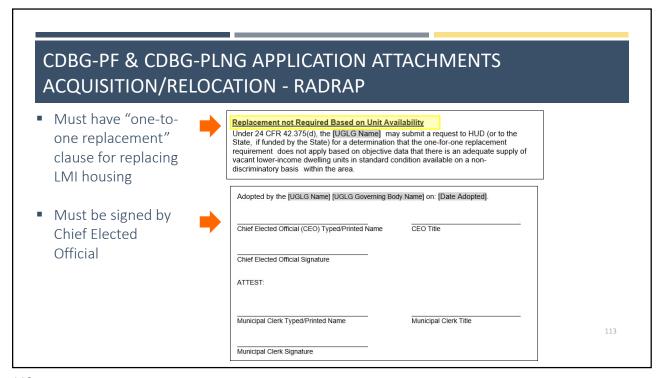
Minimize Displacement

Consistent with the goals and objectives of activities assisted under the Act, the [UGLG Name] will take the following steps to minimize the direct and indirect displacement of persons from their homes. (The steps provided below are <u>examples only</u>, each jurisdiction must determine the actions it will take based on local needs and priorities. Include in this plan the actions the local jurisdiction will take.)

[Check all that apply below, delete any steps that will not be taken/are not applicable; add steps if others will be laken/are applicable.]

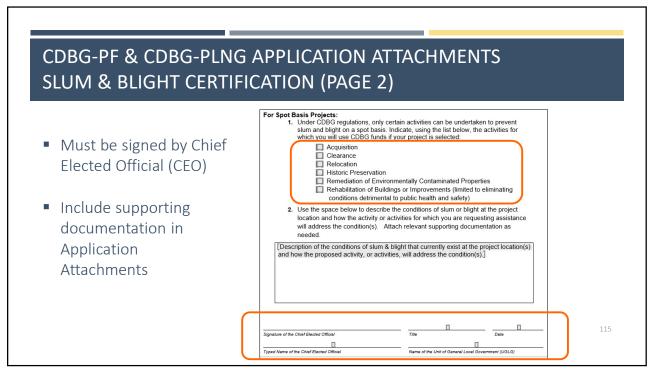
- Coordinate code enforcement with rehabilitation and housing assistance programs Evaluate housing codes and rehabilitation standards in reinvestment areas to prevent undue financial burden on established owners and tenants.
- Stage rehabilitation of apartment units to allow tenants to remain in the building/complex during and after the rehabilitation, working with empty units first. Arrange for facilities to house persons who must be relocated temporarily during rehabilitation.
- Adopt policies to identify and mitigate displacement resulting from intensive public investment in neighborhoods.
- Adopt policies which provide reasonable protections for tenants faced with conversion to a condominium or cooperative.

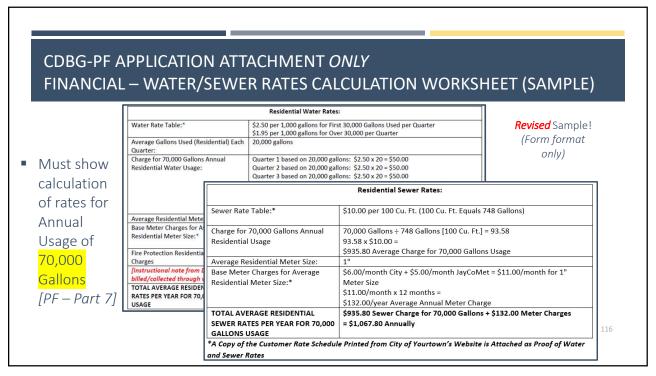
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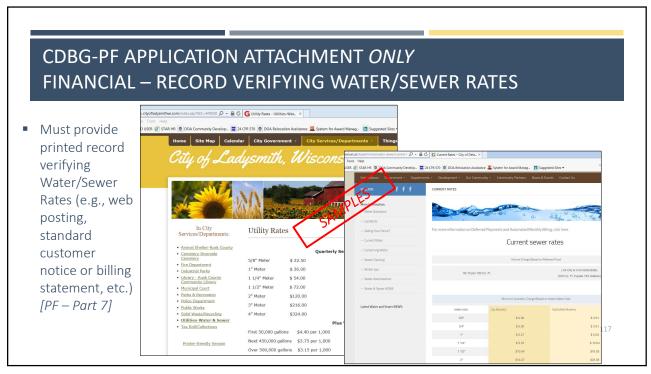


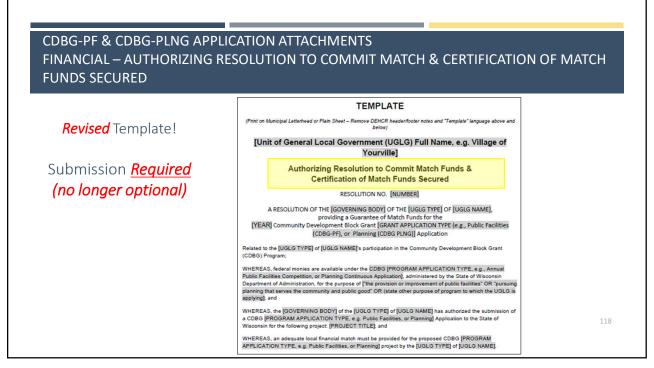
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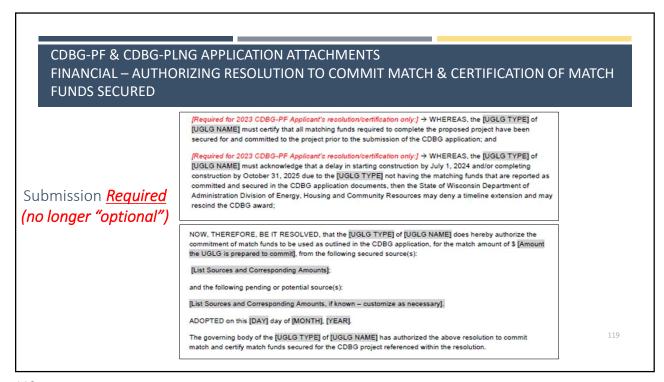


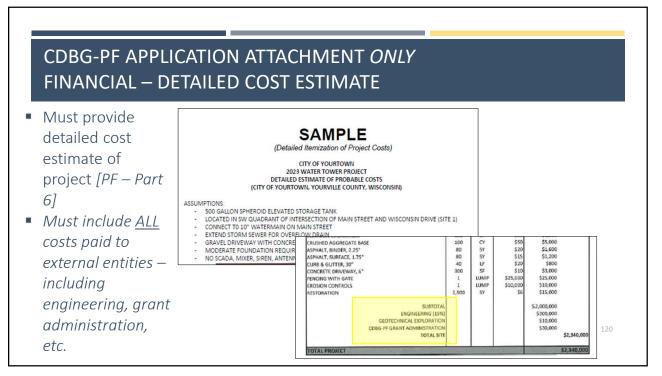
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CDBG-PF APPLICATION ATTACHMENT ONLY PROJECT READINESS - ARCHITECT/ENGINEER CERTIFICATION

New Template!

- Refer to CDBG-PF Application *Instructions* for A/E documentation guidance.
- Must include this Certification form as the cover page (page 1) of Biddable A/E Design Plans & Technical Specs document (if submitting for Project Readiness Scoring)
- Submit via Microsoft Teams link
- Earn 30 Points if A/E document submission meets all requirements

ARCHITECT/ENGINEER CERTIFICATION of Biddable A/E Design Plans & Technical Specifications

(UGLG Name - insert unit of general local government's (UGLG's) name that is the Grant Applicant, e.g., Village of Yourville) (Project Title - insert name of proposed project for the grant application, e.g., State Street and Wisconsin Avenue Street & Utility Infrastructure Improvements) Project

I, (Architect/Engineer Name - insert architect's/engineer's first and last name, e.g., "Jane Smith"), on behalf of (UGLG Name - insert UGLG/Applicant name, e.g., "Village of Yourville"), certify that I am a licensed (enter "Architect" and/or "Engineer", whichever is applicable) and certify that the architectural/engineering (A/E) design plans and technical specifications included and submitted with this certification for the Community Development Block Grant Public Facilities (CDBG-PF) Application are complete for the bidding process, ready for inclusion in the bidding packet(s) for the construction contracting procurement process(es) for the proposed project referenced above.

Architect/Engineer Certification Signature.

ture of Licensed Architect/Engineer	Date Signed

Date of Expiration of Professional License

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CDBG-PF APPLICATION ATTACHMENT ONLY PROJECT READINESS - ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW (ER)

- Refer to CDBG-PF Application Instructions for Environmental Review guidance (reference to Chapter 4 of CDBG *Implementation Handbook*).
- Submit completed full ER to DOAEnvironmentalDesk@wisconsin.gov or submit ER Certification letter from **DEHCR** with PF Application Attachments for Project Readiness scoring consideration
- Earn 10 Points if ER documentation meets all submission requirements.



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CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS PROJECT AREA & SERVICE AREA MAP COMBINED EXAMPLE #1

Must show:

- Location of project [or focus location of Plan for PLNG]
- Types of work proposed and where each activity will occur [PF Only]
- Location of all residences/families included in service area (i.e., the beneficiaries)



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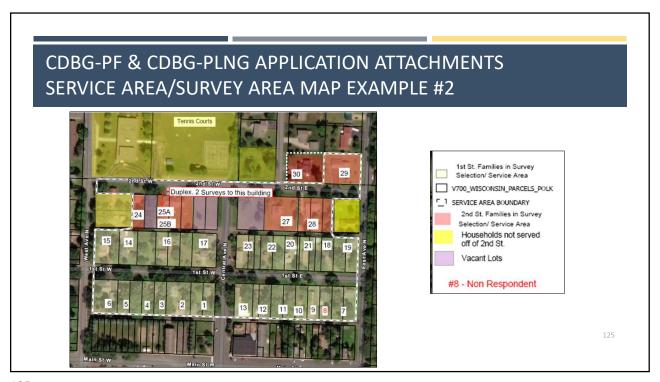
CDBG-PF & CDBG-PLNG APPLICATION ATTACHMENTS SERVICE AREA/SURVEY AREA MAP EXAMPLE #1 (SATELLITE VIEW)

 May need to submit additional map(s) to verify the nature of the service area (e.g., residential; downtown historic 'Main Street' business district blocks, etc.



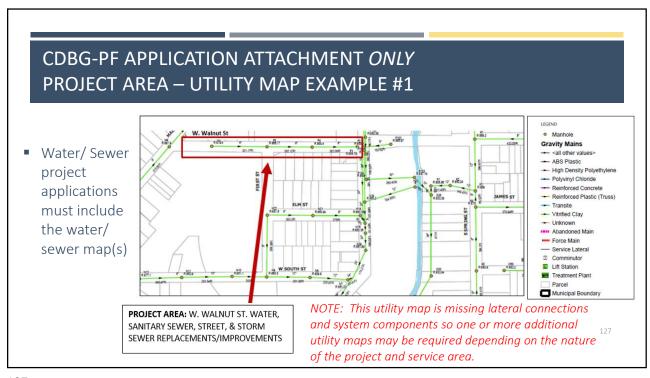
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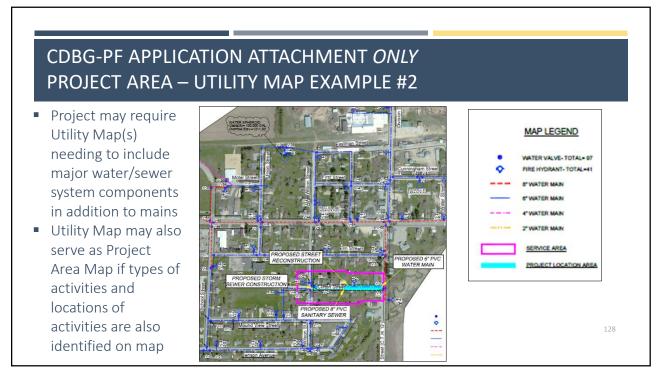
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CDBG-PF APPLICATION ATTACHMENT *ONLY*PROJECT AREA — UTILITY MAP EXAMPLE #3A

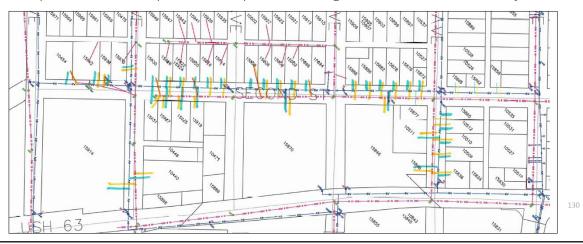
 Project may require multiple maps to show mains and lateral connections. Refer to map below and Example #3B on the next slide, which together mark the utility mains, laterals, and water and sewer mains, and total Project Area.



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CDBG-PF APPLICATION ATTACHMENT *ONLY* PROJECT AREA – UTILITY MAP EXAMPLE #3B

Map below is secondary view of Example #3A showing lateral connections in the Project Area.



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WEB RESOURCES

State of Wisconsin Department of Administration - Division of Energy, Housing and Community Resources (DEHCR) Bureau of Community Development (BCD) Website:

https://doa.wi.gov/Pages/LocalGovtsGrants/CommunityDevelopmentPrograms.aspx

- State of Wisconsin Department of Administration (DEHCR-BCD) CDBG Implementation Handbook: https://doa.wi.gov/Pages/LocalGovtsGrants/CDBGImplementationHandbook.aspx
- State of Wisconsin Department of Revenue Town, Village and City Taxes Bulletin https://www.revenue.wi.gov/Pages/Report/tvc-bulletin.aspx
- Code of Federal Regulations 24 CFR 570
 - https://www.ecfr.gov/current/title-24/subtitle-B/chapter-V/subchapter-C/part-570?toc=1
- HUD CDBG National Objectives and Eligible Activities Guidance:

https://www.hudexchange.info/sites/onecpd/assets/File/Basically-CDBG-State-Chapter-3-Nat-Obj.pdf https://www.hudexchange.info/sites/onecpd/assets/File/Basically-CDBG-State-Chapter-6-Public-Facilities.pdf

 $\underline{https://www.hudexchange.info/sites/onecpd/assets/File/Basically-CDBG-State-Chapter-9-Other-Eligible-Activities.pdf}$

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WEB RESOURCES (CONTINUED)

- HUD Income Limits:
 - https://www.huduser.gov/portal/datasets/il.html
- HUD LMI Summary Data (LMISD) for Local Governments and Census Block Groups/Tracts Guidance, Spreadsheets, Map Application:

https://hud.maps.arcgis.com/home/item.html?id=ffd0597e8af24f88b501b7e7f326bedd

- HUD CDBG Eligible Activities:
 - https://www.hudexchange.info/sites/onecpd/assets/File/CDBG-State-National-Objectives-Eligible-Activities-Appendix-A.pdf
- U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey Data: https://data.census.gov/cedsci/

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Questions?



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Thank you for your time and participation.

Please direct any questions you may have concerning the application process to the following email address:

DOACDBG@Wisconsin.gov



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